AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

1. (Currently Amended) A method of obtaining location information for emergency services comprising the steps of:

receiving a first request message from ~~the~~ a multimedia server in response to the multimedia server receiving an emergency request message from user equipment (UE);

communicating a location request in response to receiving the first request message;

receiving a location response in response to communicating the location request, the location response comprising location information of the UE; and

communicating a second request message to the multimedia server in response to receiving the location response.

2. (Original) A method of obtaining location information as set forth in claim 1, wherein the multimedia server is a serving control session control function server.

3. (Original) A method of obtaining location information as set forth in claim 1, wherein the multimedia server is a Session Initiation Protocol enabled server.

4. (Original) A method of obtaining location information as set forth in claim 1, wherein the method is performed at session initiation.

5. (Original) A method of obtaining location information as set forth in claim 1, wherein the first request is a Session Initiation Protocol INVITE request message.

6. (Original) A method of obtaining location information as set forth in claim 1, wherein the location request is a mobile terminal location request.

7. (Canceled)

8. (Original) A method of obtaining location information as set forth in claim 1, wherein the second request is a Session Initiation Protocol INVITE request message.

9. (Currently Amended) A communication system comprising:

a multimedia server for receiving an emergency request message from user equipment (UE) and, in response thereto, generating a first request message ~~and receiving request information~~ ;

a location application server communicatively coupled to the multimedia server for receiving the first request message and generating a one of: a location request and a routing information request;

a gateway server communicatively coupled to the location application server for receiving a one of: the location request and the routing information request, and for generating an acknowledgement response comprising at least a one of: location information of the UE and routing information associated with the UE enabling a request for location information of the UE; and

wherein the location application server is operable for receiving the acknowledgement response and for communicating at least a one of: the location information and the routing information to the multimedia server. ~~capable of receiving a location request and generating a location response; and~~

~~a location application server providing an interface between the multimedia server and the gateway server in response to the request information generated and received by the multimedia server and in response to the location request and the response generated and received by the gateway server.~~

10. (Original) A communication system as set forth in claim 9, wherein the multimedia server is a session initiation protocol enabled server.

11. (Original) A communication system as set forth in claim 9, wherein the multimedia server is an H.323 enabled server.

12. (Currently Amended) A method of obtaining location information for emergency services comprising the steps of:

receiving a first request message from a multimedia server in response to the multimedia server receiving an emergency request message from user equipment (UE);

communicating a request for routing information in response to receiving the first request message;

receiving a ~~request for~~ routing information acknowledgement in response to communicating the request for routing information, the routing information acknowledgement comprising at least a one of: location information of the UE and routing information associated with the UE enabling a request for location information of the UE; and

communicating a second request message to the multimedia server in response to receiving the request for routing information acknowledgement.

13. (Original) A method of obtaining location information as set forth in claim 12, wherein the multimedia server is a serving control session control function server.

14. (Original) A method of obtaining location information as set forth in claim 12, wherein the multimedia server is a Session Initiation Protocol enabled server.

15. (Original) A method of obtaining location information as set forth in claim 12, wherein the first request is a Session Initiation Protocol INVITE request message.

16. (Canceled)

~~19.~~ 17. (Canceled)

~~20.~~ 18. (Currently Amended) A method of obtaining location information as set forth in claim 12, wherein the second request is an INVITE request message.